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Sheriff Peter J. Pitchess

willingness to learn.

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BOBBY BRAGAN LUCKIEST MAN IN MAJOR LEAGUES

More than three years ago a little, rather robust gent was given the managerial reins of Walter O'Malley's Spokane club. A two-bit job considering the man's background as a major-league manager. Bobby Bragan, nevertheless, took the offer. Maybe it was because he wanted to relieve the enormous pressure put on him by Pittsburg fans, umpires and opposing squads. Pirate cash customers were of auto racing and the grace ord for the 26-mile course in happy over Bobby's departure from the Pittsburgh scene and agility of ballet dancing. Portland, Oregon. He covered for they realized that Bragan was the type of guy who would hurl pop-bottles back in the stands after over-en- and international roster. he 24 minutes and four seconds. thusiatic fans took the trouble to pitch them on the field. is considered to be one of the In 1960 he broke his own rec-

Bragan did well in Spokane for the parent Dodger club, finest roller skaters in the ord by covering the 26 mile developing youngsters for Buzzie Bavasi and company, world. When Chuck Dressen moved over to Milwaukee to accept the top field boss job the Dodgers found themselves short a third base coach. Bragen got the call and extra fans came field of sports when he to the Coliseum to see the man they knew once as manager played three years of varsity meter race to be held during of the PCL's Hollywood Stars.

During Bragan's tenure at third for the Dodgers several major league managers were fired and writers about the country singled out Bobby as a likely successor. When Rigney got canned in 'Frisco early in 1960 rumors were strongest that Bragan would quit the Dodger job and join hands with Horace Stoneham and the Giants. The move didn't come about. Nor did any other job avail itself to the hot-tempered but gradually milding Los Angeles sign-giver.

Houston A Gold Mine Local sports writers felt that Bragan was playing "a waiting game" . . . waiting for the Dodger managerial job ing since 1956 yet he has feels that his long experience to open up. It didn't happen; Alston was rehired and Bragan was faced with the thought that he would have to put regional meets five times. In make him a top contender for in another season as number two field boss of the ex-Brook- 1957 he took second place in the vacant crown. lyn club. Of course, gentleman that he is, Bragan felt de- the national meet, fourth An assistant manager in feated. He sensed that nobody wanted him-that he had to wait for Alston to make more wrong moves than he did dwing the 1960 season before Bayasi would hand the keys during the 1960 season before Bavasi would hand the keys to Bragan and dispose of the mid-west farmer.

Shortly after the World Series in October baseball talk centered around expansion of both American and National Leagues. And it wasn't long before Bragan got the wordthis time from Craig Cullinan Jr., president of the new National League franchise Houston. Bragan was asked to become director of personnel-a job that would carry him to all parts of the United States in quest of raw material with which to get the club started for play in 1962.

It couldn't of happened to a more experienced man Lions Associated Drag Strip, Fhododendron or a coveted than Bobby Bragan—a terrific job and what's more a chal- on 223rd St. east of Alameda., Camellia. lenge (hate that word, overused, but it fits here) that of building a new ball club from farm system and up. Not too many in the major leagues now could do the job like

The ex-Dodger coach will find that Cullinan is a Texan in all ways that the name implies. Bragan will have the money and the backing of the front office to do a tremendous job. No need to wonder why baseball moguls, general managers, managers, coaches and players consider Bragan to be the luckiest man in the majors. It's more that of course and Bragan eats up work like dainty morsels. Difficult task but Bragan has all it takes plus the respect of all who work for him-the latter attribute a must to succeed in competitive baseball.

Torrance Man Gains Officer Rank

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os Angeles main office with Dittmar is vice-president of drag records. 51 as a commercial teller Church.

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ike Callas Narbonne Grad Tops' in Field

Torrance Youth Holds Roller Skating's Top Speed, Distance Records

is a national champion in a 1960. sport that combines the speed Also in 1959 he set a new boxing, the thrill and danger and followed with a new rec-

The 20-year old skater had utes, eight seconds no intention of entering this varsity baseball while attend- in Japan next year, the Tor-

M-Motorcycle Meeting Sunday

meet in its six years of opera- not the least of these is that day (Dec. 18), at the big happier. Give him a choice Long Beach.

expect at least 1,500 contenders," said Lion Dale Brown,

Brown warned that all 'cy- Basketball Tournament.

comers will go from 10 a.m. ship in the consolation bracuntil 2 p.m., with elimination ket. heats until 5 p.m.

heats until 5 p.m.

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In the first round North ripped arch-rival Torrance will be a possible of the provided and bloochers. Robert J. Dittmar, 3773 from Redondo Union High vail. Parking and bleachers Mance and Rick Jacobs, the "It will be far the greatest the first quarter.

promoted this week to offiger rank with Bank of Amerlege. He later attended the American Institute of Bankending officer at the bank's

Dittmar becomes Timeplan and Los Angeles State College. He later attended the American Institute of Banking.

Dittmar is vice-president of Dittmar is vice-preside

"Fans will see in action not second of the game. two-wheel riders, but a vir- en by Glendale, 64-58 in the

of bobsledding, the timing of ten mile record in Phoenix Ranked on the national the long stretch in one hour, course in one hour, 22 min-

Now training for the 10,000 basketball and two years of the Roller Skating Olympics ing Narbonne High School, rance youth is already look-While attending the local ing for new fields to conquor. high school he was named all- Long interested in ice skatleague basketball athlete of ing, he intends to enter trainthe month, and was selected ing for the 10,000 meter by the Lomita Optimists as championship in that field. the 'most inspirational play- Noting that the former holder of the 10,000 meter title CALIFORNIA WINNER was killed in an auto acci-Perales has only been skat-dent earlier this year, he won the California state and in the associated field would

> the downtown Torrance GallenKamp Shoe shop, Perales makes his home with his parents at 253 W. 228th St., in

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NEW FIELDS TO CONQUER-Eddie Perales, 20, Narbonne High School grad and holder of national and international roller skating records, will participate in next year's roller skating olympics in Japan. Torrance's entry will compete in the 10,000 meter race.

Interested in ice skating, the local youth will also make a bid for the 10,000 meter title in that field. Perales, who lives at 253 W. 228th St., was a member of the Narbonne varsity baseball and basketball teams while a student at the local school.

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well represented last week in 57456 in the semi-finals, and High; Tom McFerson, Cul-rance varsity were knocked the 8th annual Pacific Shores in the consolation champion- gundo; Charles Tomblin, Mira around by both North and ship Saturday night, bested Costa; Jim Agnitch and Bob South highs and will be out cles must at least have a rear North High, the city's best Leuzinger, 58-41. Brooks, Aviation; Gary Su-for revenge in the city's brake; riders must wear cage team so far this year, Named to the ten-man therland and Dick Weaver, first annual basketball carni-

leather jacket and crash hel- took third place, while Coach tournament team were Rick Glendale; and the Player of val, to be held in the South Jim Haney's South High Jacobs and Bob Mance, North the Tournament, Ron Dinnel High School gym December Qualifying runs for all Spartans won the champion- High; Mike Andrews, South of Aviation High

BRING THE KIDS-BRING YOUR MOTHER-IN-LAW-

North High then was beat-Born in Glendale, he graw parents of two daughters: that's built and ridden in the throw Mira Costa, 70-61, to in this area, graduating Kathleen, 11, and Julia, 3. motorcycle world today."

son sank a bucket in the last

Saxons ascored 26 points in

South dropped a close 49-40 game to Culver City but came back to knock Torrance High out of the tourney 53-49. Led by Joe Austin's 22

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